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SUBMISSION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.114(c) IN SUPPORT OF
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

In response to the Office Action mailed August 21, 2006, and in support of Applicants' Request for Continued Examination, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the complete listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.